GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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EXIM POLICY FOR AGRICULTURE
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the new exim policy proposes to give a major thrust to agricultural exports;

(b) if so, the details thereof and benefits likely to accrue to the farmers therefrom particularly those producing coconut and other oilseeds;

(c) the impact of the duty free import of edible oil on farmers producing oilseeds; and

(d) the price of major oilseeds including coconut during each of the last three years, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a) to (d): The information is being collected and will laid on the Table of the House.